

Wise As Serpents
Opportunity
Ephesians 5:15-17
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Matthew 10:16-18 *“Look, I am sending you out as sheep among wolves. So be as shrewd as snakes and harmless as doves. But beware! For you will be handed over to the courts and will be flogged with whips in the synagogues. You will stand trial before governors and kings because you are my followers. But this will be your opportunity to tell the rulers and other unbelievers about me.*

1. Understand the _____

2. Always be aware of what’s happening _____ you

Remember:

- You are still _____ the world to shine
- Men: Win the battle over _____ out
- Women: Trust God’s design to be a well-matched _____
- Marriage: Set yourself _____ your spouse to give what you don’t _____
- The Government, the Church and the Family must stay in their _____
- Give thanks to God as you _____ our freedoms
- Use your influence to spread the _____
- _____ Jesus in your day to day life

Ephesians 5:15-17 *Be very careful, then, how you live— not as unwise but as wise, making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil. Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the Lord’s will is.*

3. Take advantage of your _____

- Be very _____ Proverbs 21:29
- This is your _____ so pray for _____
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- Make the _____ of it